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Parents' Election To Report Child's Interest and Dividends

► See instructions below and on back.

▶ Attach to parents' Form 1040 or Form 1040NR.

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name(s) shown on your return

Your social security number Caution: The Federal income tax on your child's income, including qualified dividends and capital gain distributions, may be less if you file a separate tax return for the child instead of making this election. This is because you cannot take certain tax benefits

that	your child could take on his or her own return. For details, see Tax Benefits You May Not Take	on p	age 2.		
Α	Child's name (first, initial, and last)		B Child's social security number		
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С	If more than one Form 8814 is attached, check here				
Pa	rt I Child's Interest and Dividends To Report on Your Return				
1a	Enter your child's taxable interest. If this amount is different from the amounts shown on the child's Forms 1099-INT and 1099-OID, see the instructions	1a			
b	Enter your child's tax-exempt interest. Do not include this amount on line 1a				
2	Enter your child's ordinary dividends, including any Alaska Permanent Fund dividends. If your child received any ordinary dividends as a nominee, see the instructions	2		,	
3	Enter your child's capital gain distributions. If your child received any capital gain distributions as a nominee, see the instructions	3			
4	Add lines 1a, 2, and 3. If the total is \$1,600 or less, skip lines 5 and 6 and go to line 7. If the total is \$8,000 or more, do not file this form. Your child must file his or her own return to report the income	4			
5	Base amount	5	1,600	00	
6	Subtract line 5 from line 4. See the instructions for where to report this amount. Go to line 7 below.	6			
Pai	Tax on the First \$1,600 of Child's Interest and Dividends				
7	Amount not taxed	7	800	00	
8	Subtract line 7 from line 4. If the result is zero or less, enter -0	8			
9	Tax. Is the amount on line 8 less than \$800? ☐ No. Enter \$80 here and see the Note below. ☐ Yes. Multiply line 8 by 10% (.10). Enter the result here and see the Note below.	9			

Note: If you checked the box on line C above, see the instructions. Otherwise, include the amount from line 9 in the tax you enter on Form 1040, line 43, or Form 1040NR, line 40. Be sure to check box a on Form 1040, line 43, or Form 1040NR, line 40.